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In re the Application of:

Jung-wan KO

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Group Art Unit: 2655

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Examiner: Ali Neyzari

For: RECORDING MEDIUM FOR STORING DEFECT MANAGEMENT INFORMATION FOR
RECORDING REAL TIME DATA, DEFECT MANAGING METHOD THEREFOR, AND
REAL TIME DATA RECORDING METHOD

**LETTER TO THE EXAMINER REQUESTING CONSIDERATION OF TIMELY FILED
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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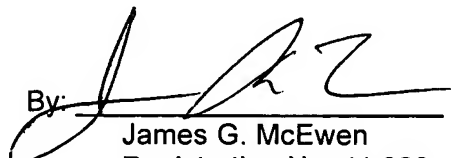
Sir:

Further to a review of the instant application after receipt of the Notice of Allowance mailed June 1, 2005, it appears that the applicants have not received an initialed Form PTO-1449 confirming that the Information Disclosure Statement filed on October 20, 2004 has been considered. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner confirm consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement by executing the enclosed form PTO-1449.

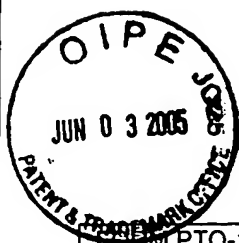
If the Examiner has any remaining issues to be addressed, it is believed that prosecution can be expedited by the Examiner contacting the undersigned attorney for a telephone interview to discuss resolution of such issues.

Respectfully submitted,

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO
AA	2003-91938	3/28/03	Japan			Abstract
AB	2000-3562	1/7/00	Japan			Abstract
AC	4-28061	1/30/92	Japan			Abstract

OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

TRANSLATION
YES NO

BA	Japanese Office Action for Japanese Divisional Patent Application No. 2002-199228 dated July 20, 2004 (related to the present application)		X

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

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